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WANTED—A young man of good address for a permanent position. Salary good. Address J. A. P., TIMES office. jul7 3t

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

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VICTORIA, B. C.

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As well as that of the general public, is directed to the
VICTORIA
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A Special Reduction in Livery charges is made for those desiring a short drive after Six in the evening.

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Executors' Settlement.

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One hundred and fifty head of Breeding Cattle, and
Fifty Head of Breeding Horses.
All bids to be approved or rejected at discretion of the subscribers.
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C. A. SEMLIN,
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Ashcroft, B. C., June 18, 1887. jy20-jul10

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A. W. JONES,
Real Estate and Financial Agent.
AGENCY OF THE
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Two doors from Telegraph office, Government street. jy2

KOOTENAY INDIANS.

A Satisfactory Settlement of the Difficulties Arrived at.

Dr. Powell's Return — Has a Talk with a "Times" Reporter.

HARRISON HOT SPRINGS, July 7.—Dr. I. W. Powell, Indian Commissioner, returned from Kootenay on Tuesday night. On the down trip he visited Harrison's Hot Springs to meet Lieut.-Governor Nelson, and remained there over Wednesday, where he was interviewed by a representative of THE TIMES upon the result of his mission to Kootenay.

"What was the object of your visit, doctor?"

"I was accompanied by Col. Herchimer, assistant Commissioner of Mounted Police, and Judge Vowell, Stipendiary Magistrate for Kootenay, and our business was to enquire into the difficulties existing between the Indians and whites, and also to apprise the Indians of the entrance of the mounted police, or to report upon the necessity for such a step. I left Victoria about three weeks ago, and proceeded direct to Wild Horse creek by way of Columbia river and Columbia lakes."

"What success have you met with?"

"Complete success. All difficulties have been arranged and the fears of those not engaged in the troubles have been entirely allayed."

"The difficulties, I think, originated in the forcible liberation of an Indian prisoner and disputes about Indian reserves?"

"Yes," replied the Commissioner, "you will remember that in March, last, Isidore, chief of the Kootenays, at the head of twenty-five armed men, went to the gaol at Wild Horse Creek and liberated an Indian named Kapla, who had been accused of the murder of two white miners about two years ago. This episode, added to the disaffection among the Indians on account of their belief that their lands were being appropriated by the whites, created general alarm in the district, and many feared that a general uprising of the Kootenays might take place at any moment, when the white settlers would be entirely at the mercy of the Indians."

"Did you hold a pow-wow with the Kootenays?"

"Oh, yes; two of them. Immediately after our arrival the Indians were summoned to meet the Commission at the Government office, Wild Horse Creek, and Chief Isidore and a full representation of his tribe attended. After making them a speech, in which the gravity of the crime of which they had been guilty was fully explained, the demands of the government were explicitly defined. The Indians were then given three days to consider the conditions submitted to them, and during that time they held a grand council of the whole tribe and discussed the situation. On the expiration of the three days, the second conference was held, Chief Isidore and about fifty of his head men being present. Isidore then explained his reasons for liberating the prisoner Kapla. There were, he said,

MANY YOUNG MEN

in his tribe over whom he had little or no control, just as among his white brothers there were lawless men who were not subject to discipline. These young men demanded that Kapla be liberated, and to save the lives of the provincial officer and those who assisted him in making the arrest, he acquiesced in the recovery of the prisoner by force. There would have been bloodshed, he claimed, had he not acted as he had done. Further extenuation of his conduct, he said that there was no officer in the district, other than the constable who made the arrest, to whom he could go to take counsel or explain the position of affairs, and he was compelled to act hastily on his own judgment. But now that there were three chiefs there, he had no hesitation in going fully into the question and explaining his course, and he would be guided by their advice. Isidore was then asked to give a bond, signed by himself and the chief members of his band, that he would deliver up Kapla whenever requested to do so. This he did, and I have brought the bond back with me."

"Your visit then has been entirely successful, and I can say that you have secured peace with honor?"

"Undoubtedly the meeting terminated most satisfactorily; so much so indeed that immediate relief was experienced by all the settlers. Many white men expressed to us their gratitude at the favorable outcome of the conference, and a feeling of perfect security now prevails throughout the district."

"Was there anything said about the reserves?"

"After the other business had been transacted, Chief Isidore brought to our notice the great injustice which, he alleges, his tribe suffers under from inadequate land reserves.

A GREAT CHIEF.

Isidore is a chief of great prominence and considerable wealth, and has always been an Indian brave and leader of the Kootenays in the many wars with the Blackfeet. His wealth consists principally of stock-horses and cattle—the estimated value of which is $30,000. The general opinion among the settlers is that the reserve is not sufficient for their wants, owing to the quantity of stock, and it is of the utmost importance that their requirements for larger reserves should be met and settled in a liberal spirit. After a solution of this difficulty which rests with the local and Dominion Governments—no further trouble of any kind is anticipated."

"But is there no danger in the absence of an official? Isidore pleaded this excuse for breaking the gaol."

"Quite true, but we have guarded against that. In order to have a minute inquiry into all grievances, and to have a resident officer to whom the Indians can apply in the event of disputes, Mr. Michael Phillips, J. P., of Tabasco Plains, was appointed Resident agent, and in this capacity was introduced to the different bands of Kootenays during our visit. His selection has given great satisfaction to whites as well as to the Indians."

"As to the Mounted Police; is it still proposed that they should go into the country?"

"Certainly, and their coming was explained to the Indians. They understand that the presence of the police will be as much for the purpose of keeping the peace among the whites as among the Indians. As the whites expect to find a good market among the Mounted Police for their produce, the Indians were advised to take advantage of their presence in the same way, and they tumbled to the suggestion like their more mercenary white "brothers."

THE N. W. MOUNTED POLICE.

"Where are the Mounted Police now?"

"At Golden City, and they will leave on Thursday (yesterday) for Wild Horse Creek. They number seventy-five men, all splendidly mounted, and are commanded by Major Steele, who is every inch an officer. The baggage, tents, etc., will be taken down the river by steamer, and the force will march from Golden City to their camping ground, ten miles from Kootenay ferry."

"Thanks, doctor, is there anything further of special interest?"

"Well, that is pretty nearly all, excepting that previous to our departure from Wild Horse Creek, we were apprised that the United States Government had dispatched a force of infantry to the border at Tobacco Plains to prevent the passage to and fro of

RENEGADE INDIANS

and to stop the illicit sale of liquor, which, unfortunately, has had too much license in consequence of the absence of proper officers. This company will cooperate with the Mounted Police in preserving order.

Judge Vowell remained at Wild Horse Creek, and will stay there until Constable Anderson returns. One of the stipulations with Isidore was that Anderson should go back, and when he arrives Kapla will be re-arrested and a thorough enquiry will be made as to his guilt or innocence. Mr. Aylmer, who was forced to leave with Anderson, is now in Kootenay."

With which parting information your representative bowed his acknowledgements, and the affable Commissioner retired for a spin on the lake with Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson.

MAYOR FELL.

What he Told a Tacoma Reporter About Things in General.

His Worship Mayor Fell, in a conversation with a Tacoma *Ledger* reporter during his recent visit, said: "We of the other side of the Straits desire to be brought into close commercial relationship with the citizens of Puget Sound. In my opinion, the way to settle fisheries dispute and all other international questions is to shake hands and be friends. England is great enough to protect us both. If not, then we will call in the aid of the American flag. We are one, commercially, and the sooner we get down to business the better for all concerned. You have no Chinese here, but they will come. In British Columbia we could not do without them, and I see they are introducing all the latest machinery in China, so that they will compete with American and European manufactures, of which they are skilful and patient masters. In Victoria we regulate them with great vigor—that is, their vices; while their merchants, notably honest in everything else, are notoriously obtuse when it comes to trading in female virtue, which they regard as a merchantable commodity. You have a glorious destiny as a city and, indeed, we all have on the Sound. I knew your patron saint, George Francis Train, thirty years ago in Liverpool, and heard him deliver one of the grandest orations I ever heard. I regard him as one of the most remarkable men of the age.

Coal Shipments.

The shipment of coal for the month of June from the various mines at Nanaimo was as follows: Dunsmuir & Son, 17,875 tons; E. W. Co., 1,840 tons; Vancouver Coal Company, 8,146 tons; a total of 28,116 tons. The shortage in foreign coal is creating a great demand for the product of our coast collieries. It is stated that the coast collieries are getting better prices for their product than for some time. According to the *Mining and Scientific Press* there are now sixty vessels loading coal and lumber at Puget Sound ports for coastwise and foreign ports. Great quantities of coal which formerly came to San Francisco now go to Los Angeles and San Diego direct, and is distributed from those points. In spite of this San Francisco's receipts of coal are still on the increase. California itself, says the *Press*, produces comparatively little coal, the Mt. Diablo and Tone coal mines being the only ones which yield much. There are several other localities where a little coal is mined, and a number of prospects are being opened. The bulk of our coast coal comes from Washington Territory and British Columbia, with some from Oregon. So far, our coast collieries produce no anthracite, although up at Tacoma they expect to find this kind of coal, from known indications.

POLICE COURT.

(Before R. Johnson, Q. C., S. M.)

Alfred Young, Walter Francis and Chas. Swell pleaded guilty to the charge of attempting to desert from H. M. S. Triumph, and were ordered to be handed over to the officers of the navy.

Ah Kim was charged with attempting to break jail, and on the evidence of officers Smith and Robb committed for trial.

Ross Howard was charged with furious driving on the streets. Mr. Stuart, on behalf of the defendant, pleaded guilty, and a fine of $5 was imposed.

Gus Barry, the driver of a hired vehicle, was charged with a breach of the "Hired Vehicle's by-law" in having allowed another to drive and with driving at night without lights. Defendant pleaded guilty to both charges and was fined $5 on each.

Major Rogers Seeking a New Route.

Major Rogers, the veteran railroad engineer, who found a route through the Cascade range for the Canadian Pacific, passed through Spokane Falls a few days ago, says the *Review*, and is now in the Big Bend country with a party of surveyors seeking for an eligible route through this country for Jim Hill's Manitoba road, on its way to Puget Sound and the Pacific coast. This line would receive a hearty welcome in eastern Washington, and it is only a question of some months time before its trains will be running through our city on their way to and from the seaboard.

Attractions at Fulton Market.

Residents of the city, as well as visitors, should not miss the opportunity of visiting Fulton Market, Johnson street, where are to be seen a collection of monkeys, trained; speaking parrots, mocking birds, English thrusher, black birds and starlings, magpies, and many other species of the singing and feathered tribe. Tourists in want of souvenirs can do no better than give this place a call.

Maple Syrup

Direct from the grove of Frelligsburg; the first of the season, NEUFELDER & ROSS.

POLITICAL OUTLOOK.

What British Politicians Think of the Spalding Election Contest.

Gladstone is Buoyant and Speaks Hopefully of the Future.

GLADSTONE BUOYANT.

Sir Joseph Pearse gave a banquet at his house in honor of Gladstone. The ex-Prime Minister made a long speech, in chief and elaborate criticism of the speeches of Lord Hartington at Manchester and Blackburn. He referred to the Spalding victory. Lord Hartington had said the crisis was serious and grave and in this opinion he (Gladstone) agreed with him. Parliament was not even allowed to discuss the question of Home Rule but was confined to the consideration of the Coercion bill. Lord Hartington had proposed a committee to consider the Irish questions, but exclude therefrom Irish Commoners. He (Gladstone) only expected to be able to say what would satisfy the Irish people. It was imperative that the government should submit to parliament their proposals relative to Ireland. If they conceded, to Ireland the management of her own affairs the Liberal party would frankly and fairly consider their proposals. Ireland was stronger now on the Home Rule question than ever. First, her constituencies under a Liberal franchise act had a voice; second, they elected members able to speak their country's wishes; third, the ever increasing and active force in England was in favor of Home Rule. The triple cord was unbreakable and it would float the ship of state into a harbor of security, honor and repose. I am glad that Lord Hartington admits that we are still in the midst of a serious and grave crisis, because the Unionist party appear to consider that if Ireland is not disturbed by crime there is no Irish question at all and that nobody need trouble about Ireland.

A DOUBLE CRISIS.

There is a crisis in Ireland, where, after giving her a large representation, we trample under foot the whole wishes and convictions of the people, as expressed by five-sixths of their members. The second crisis is the reduction of parliament to paralysis and impotence. We are forbidden to say a word on the most vital point in question and are confined to the most miserable corner by the framing of a coercion bill to pull down the liberties of Ireland. I agree with Lord Hartington in his admission that evictions are a public scandal and disgrace and danger; yet Lord Hartington would not accede to the rent modifying proposals of the Tory Commission, and under the land bill the tenant is in danger of losing his interest on account of excessive rent, and must not be relieved unless he submits to the degredation of bankruptcy. Lord Hartington had grave differences with his party as far back as February, 1885, when he astonished his political associates by his utterances on the Irish question, yet he said he was in perfect harmony with the party until a little over a year ago. We have never in any way abated the powers of parliament over the whole empire. Lord Hartington in saying we did, betrays his ignorance of the question. We propose under cover of Imperial supremacy, to grant Ireland the real and effective management of local and exclusively Irish affairs, with the same conviction with which we granted Home Rule to the colonies. If Lord Hartington's grand committee is appointed and his proposals made, whether we consider them efficient or not, it would be a grave matter to object to them. They would be considered in a candid, friendly spirit, with a disposition to do justice to the people of both England and Ireland and release Parliament and the country from the deplorable, disgraceful dilemma in which it has been placed.

The Spaulding Election.

LONDON, July 8.—The results of the vigorous stumping of Parnellites and George Otto Trevelyn's letter to a correspondent at Spalding, to both of which are ascribed the overwhelming character of the Liberal victory at that place, has caused great glee and manifestations of rejoicing in the Gladstonian and Irish camps. Although the Conservatives were prepared for defeat in the division of Lincolnshire, they were not in expectation of so crushing a rebuke as they have received, while if Admiral Tryon, the Tory candidate, had been elected by even ten majority they would have regarded his election as a great victory. The Gladstonians are now awaiting the result of the Coventry contest, which they consider will, if decided in their favor, presage the coming of triumph of the Home Rule cause in the not very remote future. The postponement of the third reading of the Coercion bill until Thursday, and the course of procedure marked out for the occasion, which includes the adoption of a motion of closure to be offered at the proper time by W. H. Smith, was planned in view of influencing the Spalding and Coventry elections; but if the influence exerted upon the latter is no more favorable to the Conservatives than that exercised at Spalding, the government will have put back the passage of the Crimes' bill three days to gain nothing by the delay. At the conclusion of the third reading of the bill, however, the measure after vigorous protests by Gladstone, John Morley and some of the Irish leaders will probably be carried summarily under the application of closure, and the carrying out of such a programme would mean a clear gain of a fortnight to the government, as further consideration of the reform of procedure will be postponed until the next session of parliament, the government within the time allowed before the day fixed for prorogation, will endeavor to pass in addition to the Irish land bill, the act referring to mines, the pending measure regulating merchandise marks and some minor bills, and perhaps thereby avoid the necessity of an autumn sitting.

Provincial Appointments.

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor-in-Council has been pleased to appoint J. C. Haynes, Esq., of Cayoos, to be a coroner for the province.

Henry Nicholson, Esq., to be recorder under the mineral acts and assessor and collector for that portion of Rock Creek polling division of the electoral district of Yale, which lies east of the 120th merridian, vice Archd Irwin.

—For a delicious MILK PUNCH or a *genuine* COCKTAIL go to the Pritchard House.

FROM ALASKA.

Budget of News from the New El Dorado of the North.

By the Idaho, which arrived at Port Townsend yesterday, the following news regarding Alaska is learned:

The *Alaskan*, the official paper of Alaska, has suspended publication. Financial difficulty is said to be the cause.

Considerable excitement prevails in mining circles over the reported rich discoveries in the Silver Bay district near Sitka. The Lake Mountain Mill Company has struck the ledge on the Lucky Chance location by continuing the same tunnel run under the management of B. R. Cowles. A quartz mine will soon be in operation.

The U. S. steamer Pinta has returned from Chilcoot to Sitka and reports everything quiet in that vicinity; also that the miners in the Yukon are doing well so far as heard from.

Captain Morrison, of the schooner Laura, seized some time since near the Hot Springs for killing seal, and who, after being detained in Sitka some time, was honorably discharged by a jury, intends bringing suit against the Collector of Alaska on his arrival at San Francisco, for $20,000 damages.

Mr. Cochrane, an old Nevada miner, made a lucky find on Admiralty Island, near Seymour channel, and is on his way to San Francisco to obtain a twenty-stamp mill, with which to open the ledge. In the Berner Bay district prospects are good and many rich ledges are being found. The Treadwell mines are turning out an increased amount of bullion at each clean-up.

CANADIAN DESPATCHES.

AN M. P. DEAD.

QUEBEC, July 7.—Duetessny, member of Parliament for Beace, died yesterday.

ELECTION OF A BISHOP.

HALIFAX, July 7.—The Rev. E. G. Edgehill, Chaplain-General of the British army in London, was yesterday elected Bishop of the Diocese of Halifax, made vacant through the death of Bishop Binney.

TRADE RELATIONS WITH THE U. S.

OTTAWA, July 6.—The government is not ignorant of the commercial union agitation. George Jones, the prospective head of the coming government bureau of statistics, and three assistants have been at work some time, under direction of the government, preparing complete statistics of trade between Canada and the United States under the reciprocity treaty of 1884, with a comparative trade table since. It is said that the statistics confirm the impression created by recent figures that the balance of trade under reciprocity grows steadily in Canada's favor.

A PATRIARCH DIES.

HAVANNA, July 6.—The English mail steamer from St. Thomas, which arrived here to-day, brings the following: St. Thomas, July 17.—Peter Barli, who took part in the American revolution under General Washington, has died in Demerara, aged 130 years.

A HORRIBLE CRIME.

SUMMERSIDE, P. E. I., July 6.—A week ago Miss Taplin, of this place, left home to meet her seducer, Wm. Millman. To-day her body was found in the river with two bullet holes in the head and neck and a rope around the neck, to which a stone was attached. Millman and a man named Byrentone have been arrested.

AN INFERNAL MACHINE.

CHICAGO, July 6.—The *Times'* Ottawa, Ont., special says: An infernal or dynamite machine was found last night by Mr. O'Connor, assistant general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in the ticket office. The suspected party, as far as the authorities have yet traced him, is a French-Canadian, who has publicly made threats within the past month against the life of Hon. John Costigan, Minister of Inland Revenue.

Arrival of the Boscowitz.

The steamer Boscowitz, Captain Williams, arrived at noon to-day from the north with a goodly freight list and a few passengers. From purser Munro it is learned that the salmon fishing in the north is very satisfactory. On the Skeena the run is very good and the canners there are hopeful of making a fair pack. Among the freight down was 1600 cases from the British-American, 1000 from the Windsor and 300 from the Inverness cannery.

At River's Inlet the run was just commencing and the average to the boat was yet small. Among the passengers were Messrs R Cunningham, Skeena; Jno Clayton, Bella Bella; M Tichols, River's Inlet; J B McCullogh and wife, Alert Bay; C Harrison, Price, Rose and Barns, Alert Bay.

In addition to salmon the Boscowitz brought a large lot of furs and miscellaneous freight.

The Oriental Rates.

In San Francisco shipping circles there is some little uncertainty, as to when the new China rates will go into effect. The present tariff is $250 to Yokohama and $300 to Hongkong. The Canadian Pacific, however, in inaugurating their new line from Vancouver to China, made a rate of $200, good both to Yokohama and Hongkong. The Occidental & Oriental people will meet these rates for the San Pablo, which sails next week, but the Pacific Mail people have not agreed to put them permanently in force. It is expected that the new traffic for China trade will go into effect in a week or two.

Coming to Victoria.

The following are on the Elder which sailed from San Francisco this morning: E A Myers and wife, Mrs R S Murray, John Bain, Rev Wm Grant and wife, Miss Grant, J M Ross, C Bridges, C Burgess.

A Heavy List.

The North Pacific to-day brought over a heavy passenger list, the number being about one hundred. They were largely tourists and sight-seers. The stores, restaurants and fancy goods shops were at once besieged. The hacks were brought into requisition and a drive taken by them around the city.

Consignees.

Consignees per North Pacific: Ellis & Co, G Steitz, H Short, J Parker, J Levy, J Sehl, J Weiler, Lenz & L, M B & T, Marvin & T, M Miller, T Dunn & Co, W S Chambers, J Randell.

Good Investments.

We have several FIRST CLASS BUSINESS for sale, and those wishing to invest in Victoria should first call on us. PICKERING & Co., Fort street, box 634.

Imported Stock.

Mr. Walter Chambers imported to-day from Oregon a fine Jersey heifer with a long pedigree.

CABLE AND MAIL NEWS.

Royalty and the Blind—Still the Thistle Vanquishes all her Rivals.

The Queen to Visit Lord Salisbury—The Famous Cass Arrest Case.

CURIOUS CASS CASE.

LONDON, July 8.—The police inquiry into the arrest of Miss Cass as an improper character has been opened. Both Miss Cass and Mrs. Bowman, her employer, whose testimony as to Miss Cass' good character Magistrate Newton refused to receive, are represented by counsel. The enquiry after being opened was postponed.

ROYALTY AND THE BLIND.

LONDON, July 8.—The Princess Victoria, wife of the German Crown Prince, to-day presented commencement prizes at Norwood school for the blind. United States Minister Phelps was present and made an address.

GENEROSITY.

BOMBAY, July 8.—The Ameer of Afghanistan has nailed to the Candahar gate, underneath the Koran, a proclamation offering free pardon and remission of two years' taxes to all rebels who will surrender.

AN EX-RAILWAY MAGNATE ARRESTED.

LONDON, July 6.—Judge Cave, of the London Bankruptcy Court, to-day ordered that James McHenry be arrested and committed to prison two weeks for contempt of court in not filing his accounts under the register in bankruptcy. Consequently the execution of the warrant was suspended for a fortnight.

A LIBERAL-UNIONIST FORGIVEN.

LONDON, July 6.—Gladstone, according to the *Standard*, is prepared to recommend Sir George Otto Trevelyan as a parliamentary candidate for the Bridgeton division of Glasgow.

TO VISIT SALISBURY.

The Queen will visit Lord Salisbury, Prime Minister, at his residence, Hatfield House, in Hertfordshire, on the 13th inst.

TERRIBLE FAMINE.

COPENHAGEN, July 7.—Reports have been received here that a terrible famine prevails at Sageford Island and many peasants and thousands of cattle want food. The distress of the people is increasing.

THE THISTLE FOR AMERICA.

GAIRLOCH, July 7.—The Cutter Thistle arrived in Bay this morning flying thirteen flags, representing the number of races she has won. The Thistle will at once make the necessary changes in her rig to enable her to cross the ocean and it is expected she will start for America in about three weeks.

A RULER ELECTED.

TERNOVA, July 7.—Prince Ferdinand, of Saxe-Coburg Gotha, was to-day elected Prince of Bulgaria by the Sobranje and his election announced with great enthusiasm. If the powers recognize the election the Sabranje intends to abrogate article B of the Berlin treaty and proclaim the independence of the country.

SYMPATHY FOR FRANCE.

PARIS, July 7.—The *Figaro* says the Pope in conversation recently with a French statesman who visited him in Rome expressed his attachment for France and declared that the equilibrium of Europe would remain upset until France regained her proper position again as a nation. The Pope also said he understood the French regret at their loss of the Alsace-Lorraine provinces, and wished, by pacific intervention, that he could assist France in her desire to regain her lost territory.

A MISSING MAN SAFE.

PARIS, July 7.—Commander Charles Lestrange, of the British dispatch boat Surprise, who disappeared after being seen in the suburbs of Marseilles, has been seen, and is believed to be safe in Brussels.

NEW OPERA COMIQUE.

PARIS, July 8.—Minister Spuller tabled a bill in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday for the credit of 600,000 francs for the temporary establishment of an opera comique in a hired theatre.

PRINCE FERDINAND.

TERNOVA, July 8.—Prince Ferdinand, of Saxe-Coburg Gotha, replying to the Sobranje's dispatch informing him of his election as Prince of Bulgaria, said he was proud of the honor conferred on him and grateful for it. I hope, he added, to prove myself worthy of the confidence of the Bulgarian people. I am ready to respond to any call and to devote myself to the service of Bulgaria as soon as the Porte accepts the election and the powers recognizing it. The Prince's answer was received with satisfaction by the Sobranje.

BRITISH POLITICS.

LONDON, July 8.—The Marquis of Hartington presided to-day over a meeting of Liberal-Unionists, which assembled at Devonshire, in response to his call, to adopt measures for concerted action on the Irish land bill. The meeting decided to support the second reading of the bill and reserve the liberty of action on it respecting measures in its committee stage. The committee, which includes Lord Hartington, Jos. Chamberlain and ex-Attorney-General James, was appointed to consider amendments to the bill.

RUSSIA AND AUSTRIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 8.—The *Novoe Vremya* says the election of Prince Ferdinand, of Saxe-Coburg, to the Bulgarian throne exhausts Russia's patience. Austria will not succeed. Russia's action may inconvenience Austria.

Sir Henry Drummond Wolfe's stay in Constantinople is prolonged by Lord Salisbury till next Sunday.

The French government has passed a bill imposing a tax upon foreigners resident in the country.

The French revenue for June was 4,000,000 francs less than the estimated sum.

The German Bundesrath has rescinded the recent order against the exportation of horses from Germany.

Dispatches from Vienna state that the council of Austro-Hungary Ministers propose to rescind the order prohibiting the exportation of horses from Austro-Hungary.

The last operation upon the Crown Prince has succeeded completely. No projecting portion of the growth remains. Prof. Virchow reports that the excised piece shows even more clearly than previous ones as a hard composite warty growth out of a moderately irritated and thickened surface.

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THE ROUTE TO INDIA.

The remark made in the British House of Commons to the effect that England could not trust her communications with India and parts adjacent to a railway that was in danger of falling into the hands of Russia was a surprise to many. We have heard opponents of the C. P. Railway speak of the danger of its falling into the hands of the Dominion Government, and in years gone by some spoke of it falling into the hands of a Receiver, though these ideas have long since exploded, but the Russian danger had not occurred to anyone out here. But, so far as the terminus at Vancouver is concerned, the possibility exists, although it is a very remote danger. That it to say, there is the same danger that attaches to Portsmouth, Plymouth, or any other seaport of Great Britain. If the British naval forces stationed at Esquimalt were defeated by the Russian squadron, the latter could, until the place is fortified, anchor quietly in English Bay. While they were there the traffic beyond Vancouver would be stopped, and that is the point which the English parliament were at the time discussing. But presumably the Russian ships would be allowed to remain there for a very short time—that is, afloat. How long it might take raising them after they had been sunk it is impossible to say. We believe the greater part of the Russian squadron that was sunk at Sebastopol during the memorable Crimean war, to escape the English fleet, is there still. But if the route to India *via* Vancouver is liable to interruption, how much more so is that *via* Suez. A single vessel sunk in the canal would delay the passage for a considerable period, and on the eve of war there would be no difficulty in sending in half a dozen Russian loaded merchantmen to be sunk when in position, at one place or at various points. The Russian squadron in the Pacific is not a large one, so far as we know, inferior in force to the British squadron in those waters, and the latter has not only the advantage of harbors at and about the terminus, but could be speedily reinforced from China. It is entirely a question of naval supremacy, but the mention of the subject recalls the necessity of proceeding without delay with the fortifying that is intended in British Columbia, and taking stock of the men of war of both nations on that coast, for in all probability England and Russia will, before many years, be once more at war.

A DESERVED CHANGE.

For many years the matter of abolishing stoves from railway cars for heating purposes has been agitated through the press and otherwise. New York State has been the first to step in and banish stoves from all trains operated in that State. An act has become law which gives all lines in New York State until next May an opportunity to devise a substitute for stoves. That these will be devised is a moral certainty, and it is not too much to expect that this action of New York will extend its benefits through the trunk lines of railway all through the country; and we may be sure that success in the thing will be the impulse for similar laws in other States. The New York laws lay a fine of $1000 on any line exceeding fifty miles in length which shall heat its cars on other than mixed trains by any stove or furnace kept inside the car, and a further penalty of $100 per day for each day such violation of the law shall continue. The stoves will be suffered to remain in the cars for the purpose of supplying heat when the engine is not attached, which provision meets one difficulty which has been held to be insoperable in the scheme of heating the cars from the locomotive. The next move, doubtless, will be to include those shorter lines where the danger is proportionately, at least, quite as great.

Advices received by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa indicate there will be a big crop throughout the Dominion this year.

The period for receiving tenders for conveying the mails between Canada and Great Britain for ten years has closed. The tenders are understood to be the C. P. R. and the Allan and Dominion steamship lines. The Allan and Dominion lines, in the event of securing the contract jointly, have plans and specifications ready for a fleet of "ocean greyhounds" which they intend to build.

The Provincial bonds issued for the construction of the Manitoba road to the boundary have not, it is learned, been actually floated, says the Winnipeg *Free Press*, but the government has a standing offer from a well known capitalist to take them at about par or half a cent over. It is said that the government have not yet accepted, but are holding off in the hopes of being able to sell them at higher figures.

Mr. Bowell, Minister of Customs, gave evidence in the Ayer case in the Exchequer Court at Ottawa. He denied the statements made by special Customs Agent Brosseau in his evidence in Montreal.

The Bowmanville *Sun* states that the many friends of the Hon. Edward Blake were pleased to see him in town on Tuesday, although he looked very feeble and unlike his former self. That he may be blessed with full restoration to health is the sincere wish of his constituents in West Durham.

Lord Randolph Churchill, in a speech, said he deplored the result of the election in Spalding, yet did not consider it important or alarming. Perhaps the Liberal-Unionists relied too much upon their strength in Parliament and the great combination of their leading men. The Spalding election might prove a blessing in disguise, for if ground was lost anywhere the Liberal-Unionists must make strenuous efforts to recover it.

Toronto *Week*: The ill-feeling natural between France and Italy as rival Mediterranean Powers is being much intensified by the French attempts to embroil King John of Abyssinia with the Italian trading companies on the Red Sea littoral. The French are accused of intriguing everywhere and in every way to counteract Italian influence; and the entire Italian press call upon the government to resist, by force of arms if necessary, the interference of France in Abyssinia and Nubia, or in any other part of the globe where Italy may have legitimately gained a foothold. The Italians, they say, are not inclined to submit quietly to such treatment as England has put up with in the matter of the New Hebrides; and their comic papers have commenced the contest by a well-directed jibe at the fervent piety of the government of infidel France, who propose a subvention of a million francs to educate priests for Abyssinia, yet secularise every hospital and school in the Republic, force clerical students into the army, and are barely restrained from suppressing the entire budget of public worship.

THE MOUNTAIN CAPITAL.

Happenings in and About Donald—A Busy Town—Gossipy News.

A correspondent writing to the Calgary *Tribune* says that Donald is a busy place just now. Crowds of men are coming in by every train from the east. The contractors must make their forces rustle or Jack Frost will give them some trouble before the sheds are completed.

A public meeting of the ratepayers in the Donald school district, called by the trustees, was held in the court house on Saturday. The chief business was to select a site for the school-house. Two days notice is hardly sufficient for such meetings. However, we will not complain if the work goes ahead rapidly and a school is in operation before the fall. From the start the management of our school business is anything but creditable to the local government.

The tenders for the erection of the Presbyterian church, Donald, will be received by T. M. Rae, Esq., secretary to the church building committee, till July 15th. Plans and specifications may be seen in Mr. Rae's office. The plans, prepared by Mr. Wylie, architect for the C. P. R. on the Pacific division, was highly commended by the members of the general assembly.

John McDonald and A. D. McRae have the contract for all the snowsheds to be built this season on the east slope of the Selkirks. The C. P. R. saw mill, 1½ miles east of here, will be run by them, and a strong force of men will be sent at once up the Columbia and Blackberry to get out the necessary timber. Mr. Earls, one of the best accountants, has been appointed their bookkeeper, and Mr. Driscol, for the C. P. R., inspector of the work.

The pay-car from the west was in town and the day following several men are sleeping under the shadow of the walls of out of the way houses. There was a milder breeze and less money was blown in last night than is usual after pay day.

The Rev. Mr. Cameron goes east to Golden to-day. He will visit the Kootenay district in company with the Rev. Mr. Herdman and be absent about ten days.

Mrs. Lovelock was indisposed last week, but is well again. Her sister has been persuaded to spend the summer in Donald.

The Rev. Mr. Irwin is expected back from his missionary tour south of Kamloops, this week.

The Rev. McAdam delivered two excellent discourses in the court house here last Sabbath. He went east on Monday.

Capt. Steele, with a company of 80 mounted police, arrived at Golden City, by train from the east, a few mornings since. They are bound for the Kootenay district.

The traffic bridge across the Kicking Horse river is not safe. It is badly wrecked.

The Episcopal Church at Donald is boarded and the roof shingled, but it cannot be furnished before the middle of July.

The weather is pleasant; warm when the sun shines, cool at night and very little rain.

The Rev. Mr. Robertson's visit will be long remembered. He conducted two services.

Messrs. Herdman and Cameron have engaged rooms on the steamer.

Steen & Kempton's new hotel is making good progress.

Mr. John Holland has applied for the C. P. R. hotel at Vancouver.

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Regulation By-Law.

Until otherwise ordered by the Water Commissioner by notice to be published seven days before taking effect, from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of September, both inclusive in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Water Works shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between five o'clock in the evening on the respective days mentioned and nine o'clock in the next following morning, namely:

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THOMAS RUSSELL,
Water Commissioner.

City Hall, May 27, 1887. may27

No 148.

A BYLAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1887.

Passed 29th June, 1887.

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. The Assessment Roll of the said City for the year 1887 shall be returned by the Assessor to the Clerk of the Municipal Council on the fifteenth day of July 1887.

2. All persons complaining of their respective assessments on the said Roll shall, within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning the said Roll, give notice thereof in writing to the Clerk of the Municipal Council, specifying in such notice the grounds of their respective complaints.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given under the last preceding section shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 17th day of August 1887 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as they can be heard. jo30

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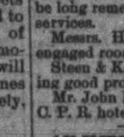

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PART III.

IN CONGRESS.

CHAPTER X.

WHO LOBBIED FOR IT.

GASHWILER.

It was a midsummer's day in Washington. Even at early morning, while the sun was yet level with the faces of pedestrians in its broad, shadeless avenues, it was insufferably hot. Later the avenues themselves shone like the diverging rays of another sun—the Capitol—a thing to be feared by the naked eye. Later yet it grew hotter, and then a mist arose from the Potomac and blotted out the blazing arch above, and presently piled up along the horizon delusive thunder clouds, that spent their strength and substance elsewhere, and left it hotter than before. Toward evening the sun came out invigorated, having cleared the heavenly brow of perspiration, but leaving its fever unabated.

The city was deserted. The few who remained apparently buried themselves from the garish light of day in some dim, cloistered recess of shop, hotel or restaurant, and the perspiring stranger, dazed by the outer glare, who broke in upon their quiet, acquostered repose, confronted collarless and coatless spectors of the past, with fans in their hands, who, after dreamily going through some perfunctory business, immediately retired to sleep after the stranger had gone. Congressmen and senators had long since returned to their several constituencies, with the various information that the country was going to ruin, or that the outlook never was more hopeful and cheering, as the tastes of their constituency indicated. A few cabinet officers still lingered, having by this time become convinced that they could do nothing their own way, or indeed in any way but the old way, and getting gloomily resigned to their situation. A body of learned, cultivated men, representing the highest legal tribunal in the land, still lingered in a vague idea of earning the scant salary bestowed upon them by the economical founders of the government, and listened patiently to the arguments of counsel, whose fees for advocacy of claims before them would have paid the life income of half the bench. There was Mr. Attorney General and his assistants still protecting the government's millions from rapacious hands, and drawing the yearly public pittance that their wealthier private antagonists would have scarce given as a retainer to their junior counsel. The little standing army of departmental employes—the helpless victims of the most senseless and idiotic form of discipline the world has known—a discipline so made up of caprice, expediency, cowardice and tyranny that its reform meant revolution, not to be tolerated by legislators and lawgivers, or a despotism in which half a dozen accidentally-chosen men interpreted their prejudices of preference as being that reform. Administration after administration and party after party had persisted in their desperate attempts to fit the youthful colonial garments, made by our fathers after a by-gone fashion, over the expanded limits and generous outline of a matured nation. There were patches here and there; there were grievous rents and holes here and there; there were ludicrous and painful exposures of growing limbs everywhere; and the party in power and the party out of power could do nothing but mend and patch, and revamp and cleanse and scour, and occasionally, in the wildness of despair, suggest even the cutting off the rebellious limbs that persisted in growing beyond the swaddling clothes of its infancy.

It was a capital of contradictions and inconsistencies. At one end of the avenue sat the responsible high keeper of the military honor, valor and warlike prestige of a great nation, without the power to pay his own troops their legal dues until some selfish quarrel between party and party was settled. Hard by sat another secretary, whose established functions seemed to be the misrepresentation of the nation abroad by the least characteristic of its classes, the politicians—and only then when they had been defeated as politicians, and when their constituents had declared them no longer worthy to be even their representatives. The national absurdity was only equaled by another, wherein an ex-politician was for four years expected to uphold the honor of a flag of a great nation over an ocean he had never tempted, with a discipline the rudiments of which he could scarcely acquire before he was removed, or his term of office expired, receiving his orders from a superior officer as ignorant of his special duties as himself, and subjected to the revision of a congress cognizant of him only as a politician. At the further end of the avenue was another department so vast in its extent and so varied in its functions that few of the really great practical workers of the land would have accepted its responsibility for ten times its salary, but which the most perfect constitution in the world handed over to men who were obliged to make it a stepping stone to future preferment. There was another department, more suggestive of its financial functions from the occasional extravagances or economies exhibited in its pay-rolls—successive congresses having taken other matters out of its hands—presided over by an official who bore the title and responsibility of the custodian and disburser of the nation's purse, and received a salary that a bank president would have sniffed at. For it was part of this constitutional inconsistency and administrative absurdity that in the matter of honor, justice, fidelity to trust and even business integrity, the official was always expected to be the superior of the government he represented. Yet the crowning inconsistency was that, from time to time, it was submitted to the sovereign people to declare if these various inconsistencies were not really the perfect expression of the most perfect government the world had known. And it is to be recorded that the unanimous voices of representative, orator and unfettered poetry were that it was!

Even the public press lent itself to the great inconsistency. It was as clear as crystal to the journal on one side of the avenue that the country was going to the dogs unless the spirit of the fathers once more reanimated the public; it was equally clear to the journal on the other side of the avenue that only a rigid adherence to the letter of the fathers would save the nation from decline. It was obvious to the first named journal that the "letter" meant government patronage to the other journal; it was potent to that journal that the "shekels" of Senator X really animated the spirit of the fathers. Yet all agreed that it was a great and good and perfect government—subject only to the predatory incursions of a hydra-headed monster known as a "ring." The ring's origin was wrapped in secrecy, its fecundity was charming; but although its capacity was preternatural, its digestion was perfect and easy. It circumvolved all affairs in an atmosphere of mystery; it clouded all things with the dust and ashes of distrust. All disappointment of place, of avarice, of incompetency or ambition, was clearly attributable to it. It even permeated private and social life; there were rings in our kitchen and household service; in our public schools, that kept the active intelligences of our children passive; there were rings of engaging, handsome, dissolute young fellows, who kept us moral but unengaging seniors from the favors of the fair; there were subtle, conspiring rings among our creditors which sent us into bankruptcy and restricted our credit. In fact it would not be hazardous to say that all that was calamitous in public and private experience was clearly traceable to that combination of power in a minority over weakness in a majority—known as a ring.

Haply there was a body of demigods, as yet uninvoked, who should speedily settle all that. When Smith, of Minnesota, Robinson, of Vermont, and Jones, of Georgia, returned to congress from those rural seclusions so potent with information and so freed from local prejudices, it was understood, vaguely, that great things would be done. This was always understood. There never was a time in the history of American politics when, to use the expression of the journals before alluded to, "the present session of congress" did not "bid fair to be the most momentous in our history," and did not, as far as facts go, leave a vast amount of unfinished important business lying hopelessly upon its desk, having "bolted" the rest as rashly and with as little regard to digestion or assimilation as the American traveler has for his railway refreshment.

In this capital, on this languid midsummer day, in an upper room of one of its second rate hotels, the Hon. Pratt C. Gashwiler sat at his writing table. There are certain large, fleshy men with whom the omission of even a necktie or collar has all the effect of an indecent exposure. The Hon. Mr. Gashwiler, in his trousers and shirt, was a sight to be avoided by the modest eye. There were such palpable suggestions of vast extents of unctuous flesh in the slight glimpse offered by his open throat that his dishabille should have been as private as his business. Nevertheless, when there was a knock at his door, he unhesitatingly said, "Come in!" pushing away a goblet crowned with a certain aromatic herb with his right hand, while he drew toward him with his left a few proof slips of his forthcoming speech. The Gashwiler brow became, as it were, intelligently abstracted.

The intruder regarded Gashwiler with a glance of familiar recognition from his right eye, while his left took in a rapid survey of the papers on the table, and gleamed sardonically.

"You are at work, I see," he said apologetically.

"Yes," replied the congressman, with an air of perfunctory weariness, "one of my speeches. Those d—d printers make such a mess of it. I suppose I don't write a very fine hand."

If the gifted Gashwiler had added that he did not write a very intelligent hand, or a very grammatical hand, and that his spelling was faulty, he would have been truthful, although the copy and proof before him might not have borne him out. The near fact was that the speech was composed and written by one Expectant Dobbs, a poor retainer of Gashwiler, and the honorable member's labor as a proof-reader was confined to the introduction of such words as "anarchy," "oligarchy," "satrap," "palladium" and "Argus-eyed" in the proof, with little relevancy as to position or place, and no perceptible effect as to argument.

The stranger saw all this with his wicked left eye, but continued to beam mildly with his right. Removing the coat and waistcoat of Gashwiler from a chair, he drew it toward the table, pushing aside a portly, loud-ticking watch—the very image of Gashwiler—that lay beside him, and resting his elbows on the proofs, said:

"Well?"

"Have you anything new?" asked the parliamentary Gashwiler.

"Much! a woman!" replied the stranger.

The astute Gashwiler, waiting further information, concluded to receive this facetiously and gallantly. "A woman!—my dear Mr. Wiles—of course! The dear creatures," he continued, with a fat, offensive chuckle, "somehow are always making their charming presence felt. Ha! ha! A man, sir, in public life becomes accustomed to that sort of thing, and knows when he must be agreeable—agreeable, sir, but firm! I've had my experience, sir—my *own* experience"—and the congressman leaned back in his chair, not unlike a robust St. Anthony who had withstood one temptation to thrive on another.

"Yes," said Wiles, impatiently, "but d—n it, she's on the *other side*."

"The other side!" repeated Gashwiler, vacantly.

"Yes, she's a niece of Garcia's. A little she devil."

"But Garcia's on our side," rejoined Gashwiler.

"Yes, but she is bought by the ring."

"A woman!" sneered Mr. Gashwiler! what can she do with men who won't be made fools of! Is she so handsome?"

"I never saw any great beauty in her," said Wiles, shortly, "although they say that she's rather caught that d—d Thatcher, in spite of his coldness. At any rate she is his protege. But she isn't the sort you're thinking of, Gashwiler. They say she knows, or pretends to know, something about the grant. She may have got hold of some of her uncle's papers. Those greasers were always d—d fools; and, if he did anything foolish, like as not he bungled or didn't cover up his tracks. And with his knowledge and facilities, too! Why, if I'd—" but here Mr. Wiles stopped to sigh over the inequalities of fortune that wasted opportunities on the less skillful scamp.

Mr. Gashwiler became dignified. "She can do nothing with us," he said potentially.

Wiles turned his wicked eye on him. "Manuel and Miguel, who sold out to our man, are afraid of her. They were our witnesses! I verily believe they'd take back everything if she got after them. And as for Pedro, he thinks she holds the power of life and death over him."

"Pedro! life and death—what's all this?" said the astonished Gashwiler.

Wiles saw his blunder, but saw also that he had gone too far to stop. "Pedro," he said, "was strongly suspected of having murdered Concho, one of the original locaters."

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CHAS. J. LEGGATT,
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Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Nooke River, thence southerly along Nooke river 40 chains thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

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Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-2

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Nooke river, thence southerly following Nooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Nooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 55, 47, 48, Nooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51, and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law

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H. STEVENS,
E. S. JOHNSTON.

June 20th, 1887. jy2 1m[illegible]

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The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Friday, July 8, 1887.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Kartz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.†

—Money saved by having your plan made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT *

—An artistic window sign executed for Messrs. Gregg & Son, by Mr. Chas. Hahn, is a work of art.

—Banjos, Guitars, Violins and Zithers, etc., at lower prices than ever, at M. W. Waitt & Co's music store.

—The East Shore Line is bringing best cattle from east of the mountains to Seattle for slaughter.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—The steamers Evangel and Anderson are now making regular trips between Seattle and Vancouver.

—BABY CARRIAGES, the cheapest and best in the city at SHORE & ANDERSON'S, Douglas street. *

—The funeral of the late Jno. Ramsay took place yesterday under the auspices of the Masonic order.

—The Olympian arrived at the outer wharf at 10:30 last night from Alaska, and left for the Sound this morning.

—A photograph of Thos. Watson, our champion sprinter, with numerous medals pendant from his breast, graces Campbell's corner.

—CLEAR THE TRACK—Give Pendray & Co.'s QUEEN JUBILEE SOAP a show; it is the best ever offered to the public as a laundry and toilet soap combined; try it.*

—The Vancouver *Herald* reports the sale of a lot on Hastings street west, with slight improvements, for $2,500; equal to $100 a foot frontage.

—No need of spoiling your hands or injuring your finest fabrics, if you will use Pendray & Co.'s "QUEEN JUBILEE SOAP."

—Mr. Keith, manager of the Bank of British Columbia at Vancouver, detected a counterfeit $2 Dominion bill on Monday.

—We have been requested to chronicle the fact of Mr. Paris Carter taking a trip away from the city—the first in 24 years. He went to Salt Spring Island for a short visit this morning.

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work. *

—"Please pity a poor blind man" is the placard that now adorns the breast of Victoria's blind mendicant Chinaman, who can be seen on the street corners daily.

—REDUCED PRICES:—Just received over 250 patterns fine mouldings, steel engravings and all latest pictures in stock. Framing and mounting a specialty. JOS. SOMMERS, Government street. *

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Andrews which took place yesterday, was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends. The remains were interred in Ross Bay cemetery.

—The raffle for the Broadwood Piano will take place at M. W. Waitt's & Co's music store on Thursday, July 7th, at 8 p. m. Persons holding tickets will please attend. *

—D. R. MUNRO, General S. S. Agent for Cunard, Guion, Albany, Dominion, Inman and all S. S. Co.'s. Prepaid passages at most favorable rates. Every berth secured on sale. *

—Dr. A. C. West, dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings Photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work, are respectfully invited to call. *

—Don't forget the moonlight excursion to-morrow night on the Amelia to Esquimalt and down the Straits given by the Queen City Brass Band. Fare only 50 cents. The steamer leaves at 8. Everybody should go; the affair is local.

—GENOVEVA—Refreshingly cool, delightfully sparkling and effervescent. Pronounced by experts to be the best mineral water ever introduced into B. C. For sale at the "Old Ship Inn," Wharf street, C. B. MCCLUSKEY, proprietor. *

—The excursionists from Alaska, by the Olympian last night, took in the city and suburbs this morning in hacks. For beautiful drives their opinion is correct—they are the finest in the world; especially so on such a lovely morning as was this morning.

—Three first-class teams of draught horses, weight ranging from 1200 to 1500 pounds each, wagons and harness complete; also one mare suitable for family use, weight 1050, for sale. Apply to J. Hafferty, Rae St., between Douglas and Blanchard streets. *

—Haying has become general in Chilliwhack and along the Fraser river. The farmers are well pleased with the crop. Grain and root crops are looking well, and the prospects for a splendid harvest are now very bright. The fruit crop is fully up to the standard of former seasons.

—Mr. Angus Fraser, it is reported, is about selling his English Bay property at Jericho to Eastern parties for a good figure. This property is well located on English Bay; in fact it has the best water frontage, well sheltered on the bay, and must become in course of time an exceedingly valuable property.

—Correspondence from Rock Creek states that a very fine piece of quartz was picked up a few days ago by a Chinaman in Cayoosh Creek, which weighed six ounces, and is fully half gold. Another fine nugget was taken off the Donald McDonald claim on Bridge River, which is worth $107.50, reckoning it at $16.50 per ounce.

—It is reported the Pacific division of the C. P. R. has been divided into three sections. One extends west of North Bend, another from the latter point to Revelstoke and the eastern or third section from Revelstoke to Banff. The office of divisional superintendent has been created and Mr. J. W. Leonard, formerly of the Credit Valley, has received the appointment to it.

Deserters from the Triumph.

Last evening a blue jacket belonging to H. M. S. Triumph was met on Cormorant street by Officer Smith, and being dressed in civilians clothing was taken into custody, and charged with attempting to desert. This morning two others also in civilian's attire were discovered by Officer Walker stowed away on board the Sound steamer and were arrested. This morning they were taken before the Police Magistrate and having pleaded guilty to the charge of attempting to desert were ordered to be handed over to the officers of the navy. The chief of police and an officer of the Triumph with a guard was present, took charge of them at once and conveyed them on board ship where they will be tried by court martial. As they are of bad character and have been a long time on the black list their shipmates expect that they will get about eighteen months. A large number of desertions have taken place since the ships returned to this station and the deserters are constantly inciting others to leave by writing favorable accounts of life on the American side. The officers of the ship state that a pleasing feature of the case is that the deserters were men who were sulky and lazy on board ship and a constant source of annoyance. Their comrades also seem pleased to get rid of them and say "they never will be missed."

Official Report on Bear River.

Capt. Fitzstubs, who was sent out by the Provincial government to report on the gold discoveries at Bear river has reported as follows: The Chinese on Bear river, forty-five in number, state that after working for a long time at Alberni for less than an average of fifty cents per day per man, they were induced by the representations of an Indian to remove to Bear river. They state that up to the present time they have obtained no prospects to justify their remaining, but that being there they intend to mine during this present season, having sufficient provisions to last for that period.

The Captain concludes his report thus: From all I saw on Bear river and from all I learn from whites and Chinese, I am of opinion that no remunerative discoveries of gold have been made there hitherto, and from the absence of those indications which are usually deemed necessary by miners and experts for the formation of favorable opinions of gold bearing districts, I am of opinion that there will not be hereafter.

The Champion Lazy Man.

There is a beautiful oddity in this city at present and the personage is no less than the man perched on the street sprinkler. We all object to dust, but when it comes to mud-puddles in summer naughty words are apt to be spoken. The driver of the street sprinkler is the cause at present of much naughty language, and if he cannot learn before another day passes how to sprinkle the streets without making a nasty puddle at the junction of Yates and Government streets he should step down and out. In the first place he don't appear to understand the business, and secondly, he seems too lazy to shut off water when it is not needed. Now then, young man, learn this lesson and act accordingly.

In Brief and to the Point.

Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature.

The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order.

Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cookery, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not to be, have made the American people a nation of dyspeptics.

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Remember! No happiness without health. But Green's August Flower brings health and happiness to the dyspeptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five cents. *

Vancouver's Collector.

The Winnipeg *Free Press* of the 4th says: Mr. J. M. Bowell, Surveyor of Customs here for some years past, leaves this morning for Vancouver, having been appointed collector of customs at that port. Mr. Bowell will be missed by a large circle of friends and particularly in the rowing club, of which he has been a prominent member. Mr. Bowell is a son of the Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, Minister of Customs, and a native of Belleville. He is an affable, genial accommodating gentleman, a great favorite with the public everywhere. As an officer, while firm in his decisions, like his father, he is withal gentlemanly, and will be quite an acquisition to Vancouver's list of officials.

Black and Tan Cigars.

Is he a Professional?

Busby, the pitcher of the Portland base ball club, hails from Salt Lake City, and says he only arrived in Portland a few days before the team started out on its tour. He is a splendid pitcher—in fact too good for amateur teams of this coast to try to successfully bat. With such a man it is not difficult to win against amateurs.

Tony Cigars.

Musical Convention.

The R. B. George Concert and Convention Co. will give a fete concert in the Methodist Church, Pandora street, next Tuesday evening, July 12th; object to organize a musical convention. All interested in vocal music should not miss this concert. *

Gladstone Cigars.

Resignation.

The many friends of the Rev. Walter Barss, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in this city, will hear with regret of his intended resignation and of his intention to leave the province in September next for Nova Scotia. This step has been rendered necessary through ill-health.

Cheap.

The song and chorus with piano part of Awake! O Happy Nation, price 10c. Also two beautiful new songs at C. A. Lombard & Co.'s, Government street.

That Tumble-Down Lockup.

In the Police Court to-day Ah Kin whose escape from the lockup yesterday was narrowly averted by the timely arrival of an officer at his cell, was committed for trial. The commitment was made on the evidence of Officer Smith who made the discovery of the attempt. In his evidence the officer stated that he entered the cell he saw a piece of paper stuck to the wall on the right hand side of the door. On removing it he found four or five bricks had been removed from the wall and replaced again. He moved a bucket which stood in the corner and saw that something had been done there and that there was still another breach of the same kind on the left hand side of the door. Two little sticks with which the prisoner scraped away the mortar were found by the officer in the cell. In view of the fact that the cells are entirely new and that the city has just gone to the expense of erecting them, it is certainly a very remarkable piece of information that a prisoner can pick the whole structure to pieces with his finger nails. The miserable shell appears to be nothing more than an invitation to the law breakers who may be confined there to transgress still further by picking a hole for themselves to crawl out through. And who is responsible for this? The Police Committee, who accepted this gingerbread structure from the hands of the contractors and ordered payment therefore, can scarcely be held irresponsible for so gross a piece of carelessness, and is nothing more than is due to the ratepayers that some explanation of the matter should be made by them.

The "Royal Route."

Mr. W. H. Mead, general agent of the passenger department of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha, and the Great Chicago and Northwestern Railway, with headquarters at Portland, is in the city. "Billy," as he is familiarly termed by all who know him—and to know him is to respect and admire him—represents no less than 6,550 miles of railway as named above. Naturally, he is somewhat proud of this, but his great native modesty restrains him from crowing over his less fortunate rivals in railway circles. The famous "Royal Route"—the C. & N. W., running between Chicago and St. Paul and thence throughout the Northwest—is slowly but surely forging its way westward to the Pacific coast. In a short time Boise City, Idaho, will be reached. Here it is expected a junction will be established with the Oregon Pacific line, whose track is already graded some 80 miles east from Albany. Yaquina Bay will be the Pacific seaport for the new transcontinental line. The new line will be run between the Union and the Northern Pacific roads. The country is said to be a fairly good one for farming, unsurpassed for its mineral resources and well adapted for grazing and pasture lands. Mr. Mead thinks when his line is completed he will represent routes that will transcend all others, rendering an attempt at competition futile in the extreme. Happy and oil as "Billy" now is, he will then be one continual smile and be profuse in his endeavors to get the traveling public to take his lines—and he will catch on to them too, unless we are greatly mistaken.

Goldstream.

Mr. James Phair will in a few days throw open his new hotel to the public. The building is but just completed and is a handsome and commodious structure. It contains nearly twenty rooms, among which is a bath room, two dining rooms, one public and two private parlors, etc. The parlors deserve special mention, each having large three-quarter octagon bay windows which add greatly to their appearance. The building was planned by Mr. E. H. Fisher, the well known architect, which alone is a sufficient guarantee of its appearance and convenience. The hotel is situated but a short distance from the E. & N. R., and but a few steps from the beautiful stream from which the place derives its name Goldstream. The hillsides are abundant in game and there can be no pleasanter place to spend a few days that this most excellent resort.

O. R. & N. Co.

Manager Potter, of the Union Pacific Railway, has appointed Mr. A. L. Maxwell to be general passenger and ticket agent of the O. R. & N. Co., with headquarters at Portland. Mr. J. J. Byrne, the former general passenger and ticket agent, has left for Chicago. He was a popular, painstaking official and his departure is regretted by the railway fraternity at Portland and throughout the coast, by all of whom he was highly esteemed. His successor is an experienced railway man, and no doubt will give a good account of himself. His friends—who are legion in number—are congratulating him on his advancement, which is a well deserved and richly earned one.

A Musical Event.

The New York Philharmonic Club appears here to-morrow evening and the concert which they intend giving promises to be a very fashionable event and possessed of considerable tone in more ways than one. The *elite* of Victoria is expected to be present and the officers of the fleet have accepted invitations to attend. The organization has met with great success everywhere and is spoken of by the New York press as giving a delightful and dignified performance marked by composure and symmetry in all its parts.

Just Received

"Allan Quarterman," at B. C. Stationery Company.

Tissue Paper, all shades, at the B. C. Stationery Company.

"Alaska," by Skidmore, at the B. C. Stationery Company.

"Mr. Isaac's," by M. Crawford, at the B. C. STATIONERY CO.

I. O. O. F.

The following gentlemen of Dominion Lodge, No. 4, I. O. O. F., were installed last evening by Deputy Grand Master, J. H. Meldrum: L. Cousins, N. G.; George Bishop, V. G.; T. Bamford, Secretary; W. Walker, Treasurer; J. Taylor, W.; W. D. Kinnaird, Con.; J. Phillips, R. S. N. G.; L. Barber, L. S. N. G.; F. T. Sherbourne, R. S. V. G.; M. G. McBeth, L. S. V. G.; J. Holland, R. S. S.; P. A. Babington, L. S. S.; — Murray, I. S. G.; W. H. Huxtable, O. S. G.

The Hastings Mill Store.

Says the Vancouver *Herald*: Stock is being taken at the Hastings mill store preparatory to the property being taken over by the Vancouver Land Improvement Company. No more work is likely to be done at this mill until all stock is taken and new arrangements entered into by the incoming proprietors.

English Window Glass, 16 oz., all sizes; also Stained and Enamelled Glass, at Muirhead and Mann's Sash and Door Factory.

—Sergeant Sheppard to-day received the two silver medals awarded to his boy and girl for being the best dressed children in Scottish costume at the Caledonian picnic. The medals were tastefully engraved by W. H. Phillips.

—General Traffic Manager Olds has issued a circular to the effect that cattle from Canada to Dakota will be subject to a quarantine of ninety days; also inspection by a veterinary surgeon, whose certificate is necessary before cattle can be admitted to the Territory.

PERSONALS.

Comm. B. W. Pearse, of Victoria, is in Seattle.

Mr. S. P. Mills left for Nanaimo on this afternoon's train on professional business.

Miss G. McBride and Miss E. A. Davidson, New Westminster teachers, arrived on the Rithet yesterday.

Mr. L. A. Hamilton, Assistant Land Commissioner of the C. P. R. Co. at Vancouver, is in town.

It is now stated that Sir John A. Macdonald will not visit the Banff springs this summer, as he is going to England.

Messrs. R. H. Hall, Fort Simpson, and T. H. Griffin, Cassiar, came down on the Olympian and are stopping at the Clarence.

Col. Stevens, U. S. Consul, and Dr. Powell, Indian Commissioner, were among the arrivals by the Yosemite last evening.

Mr. W. H. Armstrong, of the C. P. R., has been appointed Chief road master of the Pacific division between Kamloops and Donald. He will reside in the northern capital—Donald.

Nicholas Flood Davin has gone to Ireland, a full fledged M. P. The goal of his ambition has been reached. But still Nicholas will talk and be the bore of the House.

Mr. Leigh Hunt, of the Seattle *Post-Intelligencer*, has resolved upon taking a six months' holiday, or possibly more, if his health is not fully restored him. Mrs. Hunt accompanies him and both are guests at the Driard.

Mr. William Lange, son of Mr. G. W. A. Lange, jeweller, &c., who left last fall for San Francisco to study dentistry, is on a visit to his parents. His numerous friends are pleased to observe him looking so well. He will remain for a short time.

Sheriff Paxton, of Whitby, is dead. Deceased was a prominent citizen in the County of Ontario for many years. He resigned North Ontario in the Commons to make way for Mr. J. D. Edgar. There will be a squabble for the office now vacant by his death.

Mrs. Sheriff McMillan is expected home on Sunday evening from her visit to Bowmanville, Ont. She has been absent about two months. She reached her destination in the east in six days. In coming to Victoria, some 27 years ago, the journey occupied seven weeks of constant travelling.

From the Albuquerque, N. M., *Daily Citizen* it is learned that Mr. C. D. Anderson, formerly of this city, is doing a rushing business in that territory for the Union Mutual Insurance Company. The territory for which he is agent extends over New Mexico and Arizona. The *Citizen*, we are pleased to note, commends him as an agreeable and reliable gentleman.

Mr. Fred. G. Reed, city editor of the Walla Walla *Journal*, is in the city today. He was one of the party of excursionists by the North Pacific. He is taking in the sights of the Queen City of the north, and is charmed with all he has seen.

Mr. M. B. Dolan, a leading boot and shoe merchant of Walla Walla, is enjoying a well earned holiday excursion to the Queen City. He is one of a party from the "Inland Empire" capital. He is pleased with his trip and Victoria and her environs.

COUNTY COURT.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

Domingo Bussanich vs. John Tolfich—This was an action brought by the plaintiff to recover $96 on account of salmon and oolachans supplied to the plaintiff. Mr. Mills who appeared for the defendant had paid $30 into court and held that the claim was unreasonable. His Lordship gave the plaintiff judgment for $36 in addition to the $30 paid into court. An amusing feature of the case was that all the correspondence in connection with it and the evidence was in Italian. Mr. Gaunaway appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Mills for the defendant.

Hotel Arrivals.

At the Outside—Mrs Fred Whipple and child, Miss Blair, Semenos; Miss Van Roughton, Miss Ramsay, Miss Wall, Nanaimo; Miss Hilbert, Seattle; F Fosjer, L B Hanson, Walla Walla; C O Townsend, Spokane Falls; Capt Sabiston and wife, Nanaimo; Miss Thompson, Portland; Geo Hayes, Kamloops; Miss McBride, New Westminster; Halcomb, Rockwood, C Green, East Portland; T B McManus and wife, Alma, Neb; E Priest, Nanaimo; H A Harrison, R A Richardson, Vancouver; Thos Tugwell, Sooke; Thos Parker, Rocky Point; M Crawford, city.

At the Driard—Louis Rosenfeld, Jesse E Triest, Nova Scotia; L A Hamilton, Vancouver; P Banuche and servant, England; J H Marin, wife and child, Montreal; Mrs A C Edwards, Montgomery, Germany, M D D Dobeon and wife, D Ham and wife, Eva Greenwood, C Daniel, Spokane Falls; Wm H Mead, (Royal Route), F Terramorse, Portland; J G Morgan, Winnipeg; S N Schwartz, R W Corrill and wife, King O Malley, San Francisco; Mrs N P Dugan, John G Davidson and wife, Miss Painte, Ellensburgh, W T; H A Noble and wife, Des Moines; L Hunt and wife, Seattle; E Pitterwood, Spokane Falls; R C Hughes, C McLean, E Stolterpolt, New York; J Clark, Red Oak, Iowa.

At the Clarence: Geo Yule and wife, H B Willard, Wisconsin; Jos McCoy and wife, Missouri; C M Idle, E D Idle, G H Smith, H N Muzzy, E E Alexander, H P Reeves, C D Wilson, Virginia Wilson, Frankie Wilson, Spokane Falls; Miss E O Harrison, Miss A J Hails, Santa Barbara, Cal; W W Atherton, G A Bailey, C E Carpenter, North Yakima, W T; J M Shelton, wife and child, Mrs M A Henley, W C Prater, Ellensburgh, W T; Wyman Clark, Toronto; O Brooks Sprague, W T; J Miller, Vancouver; J E Lallet, San Francisco; R H Hall, Fort Simpson, B C; T H Griffin, Cassiar; L Hayun, San Francisco.

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AT COST, FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

Our stock of TRUNKS and VALISES BELOW COST, on account of not having room in the new store. The whole thing to be cleared out. TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

Now is the time. We have the largest and finest line in British Columbia, and next month we will meet our friends, patrons and the public generally in our new store on Government Street, now occupied by Shears & Page.

july2 **GEO. H. MAYNARD, Proprietor.**

Spring Tweeds

AND

SUPERB TROUSERINGS

JUST RECEIVED.

A. GREGG & SON,

ARTIST TAILORS,

Yates Street, - - - Opposite Langley.

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VALISES AND SATCHELS

The Finest Line in Town, Selling at Cost Prices, to make room for Fresh Supply of Boots, daily expected.

INSPECTION SOLICITED.

Baker's Boot & Shoe Store, - Government St.

MARINE.

The Pacific Slope, Capt. Barns, from Moodyville for Sydney, laden with lumber, arrived in Esquimalt last night at 7 o'clock, in tow by the Pilot.

The ship Riverside leaves Moodyville at noon to-day in tow of the Pilot, lumber laden for San Diego, and will be towed direct to sea.

At the Altar.

This morning, says the Calgary *Tribune* of the 5th, Mr. Geo. Hope Johnston led to the altar Miss Amy Young, of Victoria. The bride was waited upon by her sister, and Mr. John Johnston attended his brother. Mr. Thos. Elwyn, Assistant Provincial Secretary, of Victoria, the bride's uncle, gave her away. The bride above alluded to is the second daughter of the late J. Judson Young, Deputy Provincial Treasurer of this province. Her numerous friends in Victoria wish her every joy throughout her wedded life.

The Disputed Yacht Race.

The owners of the yachts which took part in the sailing contest on the 22nd of June have agreed that the race shall be sailed over on the same course on Monday next. The start will take place at 1 p. m. The race is open to any craft under five tons measurement, and entries can be made up to 8 o'clock to-morrow evening—entrance fee $5. The prize is a silver cup, to be called the "Jubilee cup." The stake boats are to be placed under the supervision of Chief Bloomfield.

An Excursion.

The steamer Olympian will arrive to-morrow with a large number of Sound excursionists. The affair is gotten up by the Presbyterian and Congregational Churches of Tacoma. A stay of a few hours will be made in this city.

NEW TO-DAY.

TO THE LADIES!

We wish to let you know where you can get

THE CHEAPEST AND BEST

Mason Fruit Jars, Jelly Tumblers, Butter Crocks, Pickle Jars, &c.

N. T.—A full line of CROCKERY and GLASSWARE always on hand.

GEO. POWELL & CO.,

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Moonlight Excursion.

SATURDAY, JULY 9.

The Queen City Brass Band have chartered the Steamer AMELIA for a three hours'

Excursion to Esquimalt and Down the Straits.

The steamer will leave Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Wharf at 8 p. m. sharp.

Music and Dancing.

TICKETS, - - FIFTY CENTS.

July 7 td

Victoria Theatre.

ONLY TWO CONCERTS.

Saturday & Monday, July 9 & 11.

THE NEW YORK

Philharmonic Club,

(The most complete and finest Musical organization in America), consisting of

Richard Arnold, Violin; Friedhold Hemmann, Violin; Emil Scheuck, Violincello; Eugene Weiner, Flute; Ludwig Schenck, Violin, Assist Kalkof, Double Bass; assisted by Miss ANNIE LOUISE TANNER, Prima Donna, Soprano.

Under the management of Mr. C. H. Dittman.

Entire change of programme for the second Concert.

PRICES—Parquet and Dress Circle, $1; Gallery, 50c. Reserved seats, without extra charge, now on sale at Lombard's Music Store. july7 4t

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DISPATCH A STEAMER

Every Saturday for San Francisco

Leaving the outer wharf at One o'clock p.m.

July 9th. - - - MEXICO.

Shippers must notify us when room for freight is required.

No Freight received after 5 p.m. Friday, 8th July.

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Agents.

Wharf Street, Victoria. jul5

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DOUGLAS STREET,

NEXT TO ROYAL HOTEL.

THE UNDERSIGNED is prepared to do all kinds of

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Particular attention paid to dyeing Blankets, Shawls, Ladies and Gentlemen's clothing, Feathers, Silk Fringe, Lace, Velvets, Chinz, Crape and Paisley Shawls, Damask Curtains, and Piece goods.

June24- JAMES ALLISON.

DELICIOUS!

The undersigned beg to announce that they are again making their celebrated

ICE CREAM!

And are prepared to supply the public in quantities to suit, by the glass, quart or gallon.

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Tahiti Oranges.

For sale in lots cheap.

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BY EXPRESS, EVERY THREE DAYS, AT

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Jubilee Ginger Ale.

PARTIES wishing this delicious beverage for the 21st and 22nd, are requested to send in their orders without delay to

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Corner Douglas and Pembroke streets

Pints, 3c.; Quarts, 10c. per bottle.

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REMOVAL.

S. C. BURRIS, ARCHITECT,

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FOR SALE.

Five Good Milch Cows.

jy9 Apply at this office.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon September 5th inst., for the erection of a Cottage Residence.

The Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN TEAGUE,

Architect.

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TO CREDITORS.

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against the late E. Sehl, deceased, are hereby notified to send the same to Mrs. C. Sehl, Yates street, or to A. Sehl, corner of Yates and Broad streets, on or before the 1st day of August next.

A. SEHL, Executor.

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TRAINED NURSES.

THE HOSPITAL TRAINED "NURSES' AGENCY" is now in this city and prepared to

Nurse All Kinds of Cases, Medical, Surgical, Mental and Midwifery.

Cheques will be issued to the nurses of the permanent registered Nurses' Agency of London (Incorporated), by the Secretary, Victoria. jy11